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TO AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SREF

SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE REFUGEES

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1. PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING TO ASST. UNCHR REP MISS FRASER.
QUOTE: FROM DEVLIN: HKG IS PROVIDING ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTATION
FOR P-7 REFUGEES. HOWEVER, WE HAVE AGREED WITH HKG TO KEEP THE
DETAILS CONFIDENTIAL AND NOT TO DIVULGE THEM TO ANY OTHER
COUNTRY. IN ANY CASE, AS YOU KNOW, P-7 PROGRAM IS ONLY
APPLICABLE TO REFUGEES PHYSICALLY PRESENT IN H.K. END QUOTE.

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2. FYI. HKG POSITION IS THAT REFUGEES WHO WERE LANDED HERE
UNDER UNHCR AEGIS ARE SOLE THE CONCERN OF UNHCR AND THAT HKG
HAS NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR THEM. THEREFORE, INITALLY HKG
REFUSED TO ISSUE THE DOCUMENTATION WHICH IS REQUIRED UNDER THE
CONDITIONAL ENTRY PROGRAM: THAT IS A RE-ENTRY DOCUMENT WITH A
TWO-YEAR VALIDITY. IT WAS FINALLY AGREED THAT THEY WOULD
ISSUE SUCH A DOCUMENT FOR EACH REFUGEE; THIS DOCUMENT TO
BE PASSED DIRECTLY TO THE CONGEN WITH THE UNDERSTANDING
THAT ITS EXISTANCE WOULD NOT BEN KNOWN TO THE REFUGEE AND
THAT THE DOCUMENT ITSELF WOULD BE HELD BY INS IN THE
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REFUGEE'S FILE AND COULD BE USED ONLY BY THE USG TO REMOVE

THE REFUGEE FROM THE U.S. HKG REQUESTED AS A CONDITION OF
ISSUANCE THAT THE EXISTANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT SHOULD NOT BE
MAKE KNOWN TO ANY OTHER COUNTRY.
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